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FM Broadcast

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed April 18, 1963

W K T A (Ltr. 11-27-62)

Call letters XW M K T

Station location McKenzie, Tennessee

HUNTINGDON-MCKENZIE BROADCASTING COMPANY (ALH 5-20-75 EFF: 6-6-75)

XCARROLL BROADCASTING CORPORATION (MPH 8-2-62)

Name of licensee X MCKENZIE BROADCASTING COMPANY

on St. Hwy. 22, approx 0.1 mi. S of junction w/US Hwy 79, McKenzie, Tenn (MPH 9-6-77) LH 4-18-63

X1.2 mi. SE of McKenzie City Limits on US 22, Carroll County, Tenn. (BMPH 10-8-62)

Transmitter location X 421 Paris Street, McKenzie, Tennessee (CP 3-28-62)

SAME AS TRANSMITTER (MPH-9-6-77)

XIntersection of Highways 79 and 22, McKenzie, Tennessee (SH 2-3-76)

x Same as transmitter (BMPH 10-8-62) (LH 4-18-63)

Main studio location X 421 Paris Street, McKenzie, Tennessee (CP 3-28-62)



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	ERP Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-3630	3-28-62 HAAT 180' CP for a new FM Broadcast Station.	106.9mc CH 295	2.8kw TPO 1kw	Un.	5-28-62 to 11-28-62
BMPH-7276 (1)	8-2-62	Mod. of CP(BPH-3630) to change corporate name to Carroll Broadcasting Corporation			
BMPH-7277 (2)	10-8-62	Mod. of CP(BPH-3630, as mod.) to chg. ERP to 7.1kw; chg. HAAT to 290'; chg. ant.-trans. & studio loc.; chg. type trans. (RCA BTF-1D); chg. type ant. (JamproBFA-8A, 8 secs.); make chgs in ant. sys; completion extended to 2-8-63			
BMPH-7504	2-7-63	Mod. of CP(BPH-3630, as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 3-31-63.			
BLH-2340 HAAT: 290'	4-18-63	106.9mcs Ch. 295	ERP: 7.1kw TPO: 1kw	Unl.	4-18 8-1-64
	Lic. to cover CP(BPH-3630, as mod.) which auth. a new FM Broadcast Station.				
BRH-1443	7-31-64	Renewal of License			8-1 8-1-67
BTC-5020	2-15-66	Voluntary relinquishment of negative control of lic. corp. by each, Michael R. Freeland and Flora Ellen Freeland thru sale of stock to James W. Freeland			
BRH-1443	7-31-67	Renewal of License & NDEA			8-1 8-1-70
BTC-5796	12-13-68	Vol. TO			
BRH-1443(S)	7-30-70	Renewal and NDEA			8-1-73
EBSA	5-25-72				
BRH-1443(L)	7-31-73	RENEWAL			8-1-76
BALH-2046	5-20-75	VOL. ALH. EFF:			
BSH-1443(1)	2-3-76	ML to change SL			
BRH-1443(S)	7-12-76	Renewal of License			8-1-79
BPH-10059 HAAT: 470' {L}	12-22-76 H&V	106.9MHz CP chg Antenna	ERP: 100kw TPO, ERP, HAAT,	H&V U {RC} Trans &	12-22-77



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Station location .....

Name of licensee SEE CARD #1

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....



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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BMPH-15234 (1)	9-6-77	MP (BPH-10059) rededcribe DELETE RC; chg. trans.; Ant & chg. HAAT: 480' (h&v)			TL & SL;
BMPH-15386 (2)	2-8-78	MP (BPH-10059, as mod) ext time to			6-1-78
BLH-7807 HAAT: 480' (H&V)	8-16-78	106.9MHz ERP: 100kW (H&V) #295 (RC) Lic. (BPH-10059, as mod.)			8-1-79 for chgs.
BRH790326UQ(\$)	8-14-79	Renewal of License			8-1-82



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# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters

W H K T

new

Name MCKENZIE BROADCASTING COMPANY  
MCKENZIE, TENNESSEE (P. O. Michael R. Freeland, 421 Paris St., McKenzie, Tenn.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-3630 Rec'd Filed	12-20-61	CP for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 106.9mc CH 295 ERP 2.8kw Type Antenna - Andrew 1304 ( 4 bay) HAAT 165 feet Type transmitter - Gates FM-1B Trans. location - 421 Paris Street McKenzie, Tennessee Studio location - Same as transmitter  Eng. B. L. Enochs, Lexington, Tenn.	GRANTED	3-28-62
	12-29-61			
	12-29-61		H A A T TPO	180' 1kw
BMPH-7276 R & F	6-14-62 7-5-62	Mod. of CP (BPH-3630 which auth a new FM B/C station) to chg corporate name from McKenzie Broadcasting Company to Carroll Broadcasting Corporation	GRANTED	8-2-62



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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call W K T A  
Letters New

Name **CARROLL BROADCASTING CORPORATION**  
**McKenzie, Tennessee (421 Paris Street)**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-7277 R & F	5-31-62 6-4-62	Modification of CP (BPH-3630 which auth a new FM B/C station) to chg ERP from 2.8kw to 6.3kw; HAAT from 180' to 320.6'; chg ant-trans and studie loc from 421 Paris St., McKenzie, Tenn. to 1.2mi SE McKenzie city limits on U.S. Hwy 22, McKenzie, Tenn.; chg type ant (RCA BFA 8A); chg type trans (RCA BTF 1D); and chgs in ant-sys (Filed in name of Carroll Broadcasting Corporation)  Atty: Harold Seligman	GRANTED	10-8-62 to 2-8-63
BMPH-7504 R & F	1-22-63 1-23-63	Mod. of CP (BPH-3630, as mod, which auth a new FM B/C station) for ext. of completion date from 2-8-63 to 2-20-63.  Atty: Harold Seligman	GRANTED	2-7-63 to 3-31-63



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McKensie, Tennessee

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-2340 R & F PTA 2-11-63	2-6-63 2-8-63	Lic. to cover CP (DPH-3630, as mod) which auth a new FM B/C station. Atty: Harold Seligman	GRANTED	4-18-63
BRH-1443 Rec'd Filed	5-25-64 6-25-64 6-25-64	Renewal of license---8-1-64	GRANTED	7-31-64
BTC-5020 R & F (Form 316)	1-28-66 2-1-66	Voluntary relinquishment of negative control of lic. corp. by each, Michael R. Freeland and Flora Ellen Freeland thru sale of stock to James W. Freeland	GRANTED	2-16-66
BRH-1443 R & F	4-27-67 5-1-67	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	7-31-67
BTC-5796 R & F FEE PD: \$30 (Form 316)	11-20-68 11-21-68 #473992 DEC 4 1968	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of lic. corp. by Michael R. Freeland thru purchase of stock from James W. Freeland Atty - Samuel Miller	GRANTED	12-13-68



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HUNTINGDON-MCKENZIE BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name **X CARROLL BROADCASTING CORPORATION**  
**MCKENZIE, TENNESSEE**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1443 R & F \$75 #598265 PN Recd. PRESS	4-29-70 5-1-70 " JUN 4 1970	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-30-70
BRH-1443 R & F P.N. PRESS JUN 8 1973	4-24-73 5-3-73 5-9-73	Renewal of License  Atty.: Jerrold D. Miller	GRANTED	7-31-73
BALH-2046 R & F CODE 049 #341452\$1000. SEP 24 1974	8-28-74 9-3-74	Voluntary assignment of license to HUNTINGDON-MCKENZIE BROADCASTING COMPANY  Atty for assignor - Miller & Fields for assignee - Schwartz & Woods	GRANTED	5-20-75
Pub. notice filed 9-23-74	PETITION TO DENY AL AND/OR DISMISS APPLIC FOR CP(FM) FOR CAMDEN, TENN. FILED 10-18-74 by RAY SMITH (BPH-8406) OPPOSITION TO PET TO DENY AND/OR DISMISS filed 10-31-74 by attys for assignor/ee	Stock subscription agreements filed 9-27-74 FILED 10-18-74 by RAY SMITH (BPH-8406) FILED 10-31-74 by attys for assignor/ee	EFF: <del>6-6-75</del> gr fee req. gr fee pd 7/16/75 W 449439 (SEE OVER)	



RE: BALH-2046 - AMENDED 11-11-74 to reflect pending PH-9069  
(new FM, Camden, Tenn)

REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PET TO DENY AND/OR DISMISS filed  
11-12-74 by Atty Ray Paul on behalf of Ray Smith

AMENDED 1-9-75 - financial & prog. data  
Engt.

AMENDED: 1-9-75 - Financial data; statement re: BPH-9069  
(reply to letter of 12-3-74)

AMENDED 3-27-75 - bank ltr re loan

MOSO Adopted 5-20-75 Rel. 6-2-75 petition denied.



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106.9MHz

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Letters W K T AName HUNTINGDON-MCKENZIE BROADCASTING COMPANY  
McKenzie, Tennessee

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1443 R & F P.N. Press	3-15-76 4-1-76 4-1-76 JUN 2 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  Atty: Robert A. Woods (Schwartz & Woods)	GRANTED	7-12-76
BPH- 10,059 Rec'd Filed #586734 \$400 Code 001 Press P. N. Rec'd	5-27-76 6-30-76 6-30-76 7-1-76 SEP 13 1976 8-2-76	CP to install new trans. (AEL-25KE); install new ant. (Phelps-Dodge CFM-HP-12, 12 sects. (H&V); make chg. ant. system (incr. hght.); chg. TPO; ERP: 100KW(H&V) and HAAT: 466' (H&V).  Atty: Louis Schwartz	GRANTED gr fee \$2,700  MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION UNDER SECT. 1.1305 OF COMM. RULES	12-22-76
BMPH-15234 R & F PRESS	7-9-77 7-18-77	MP(BPH-10059) redescribe TL/SL: on State Hwy 22, approx. 0.1 mi S of junction with US Hwy 79, McKenzie, Tenn; delete RC; chg Trans: McMartin, BF-25K; Antenna: PHELPS-DODGE, CFM-HP-10, 10 sects H&V; chg HAAT: 476 feet H&V  Atty-- Engr. Ralph J. Bitzer	GRANTED	9-6-77



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McKnezle, Tennessee

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-15386 R & F PRESS:	12-19-77 12-27-77  JAN 20 1978	MP (BPH-10059, as mod) for extension of time to: <u>2-22-78</u> (FOR CHANGES)  Atty:-----	GRANTED TO	2-8-78 6-1-78
BLH-7807 R & F PTA: PRESS:	5-21-78 5-30-78 6-9-78  JUL 21 1978	License to cover (BPH-10059, as mod.) for changes. Trans: McMARTIN BF-25K Antenna: Phelps-Dodge, CFM-HP, 10 sections (H&V)  Atty: ---	GRANTED	8-16-78
BRH 790326 UQ PRESS JUN 7 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	8-14-79



## About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file.

FM History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest FM stations in the FM band, then at 42 to 50 MHz. (The band was shifted to its present location, 88 to 108 MHz, in 1946.) History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12<sup>th</sup> Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). Prior to that move, the History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only a few sets of microfiche exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

